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1. The test laboratory employed to carry out all laboratory work for Titovi-Zavodi-Litostroj is the Zvezni Institute. The director is Engineer I. Vuckovic, and the head of the laboratory is Engineer P. Marincek. 430
2. Apart from its work for Litostroj, the Zvezni Institute also carries on experimental work for the Yugoslav Navy and Air Force.
3. Zvezni Institute received orders in December 1948 to carry out tests on new types of turbo compressors for submarines of Soviet design.
4. As these orders are urgent the institute had to break off work for Litostroj which, in its turn, had to defer manufacture of turbines required for the government's electrification program. Apart from this, other difficulties with which Litostroj is faced are lack of raw materials and insufficiency of skilled employees.

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